ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

CP D 1071 of 2023

DATE ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE(S)

- 1. For hearing of CMA No.5059/2023.
- 2. For hearing of main case.

29.05.2025

Mr. Agha Shahzaib, advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Khalid Jawed Khan, advocate for the respondent No.4.

Ms. Alizeh Bashir, Assistant Attorney General.

Essentially the vires of Section 21-A of the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2002 has been challenged before the court. Learned counsel for the respondent 4 points out that the petition is not maintainable, inter alia, as not a single respondent arrayed has been sought to be within territorial remit of this court; no cause of action has been demonstrated to have been accrued to the petitioner; and the Supreme Court has deprecated tendency to agitate academic exercise in writ jurisdiction of the court. Reliance is placed on *PLD 2010 SC 265*, relevant at page 340. Learned counsel for the petitioner remains unable to satisfy the court with maintainability of the petition and merely seeks more time. Petition is found to be misconceived, hence, dismissed.

Judge

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